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## Democratic State Ticket



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LORENZO ZAMORA.  
Commissioner, 2d District,  
JUAN CRUZ SANCHEZ.  
Commissioner, 3rd District,  
W. R. GREEN.  
Surveyor,  
R. A. MARBLE.

Wednesday's Herald claims there will be twenty cars of beans shipped from Estancia this year. Yes, and seven or eight times twenty will come nearer hitting the mark. There are several individual farmers in the vicinity who have over a carload each, which they are holding for a better price than the present market offers.

## RAIN, HAIL THUNDER AND LIGHTNING

One of the hardest electrical storms of the season visited Estancia last night. About five o'clock a shower came up, accompanied by hail, thunder and lightning. About seven o'clock a second shower appeared. With this the lightning and thunder were terrific. Hail, up to three fourths of an inch in diameter, fell for fifteen or twenty minutes, covering the ground like snow. This was followed by an hour's downpour of rain, the water making lakes of all the streets.

## Who is Wilson?

Some fellow signing himself L. S. Wilson, of Raton, has sent out a circular in which he proclaims that the Virginia Constitution was never submitted to the people. This certainly is rather far-fetched to bring the Virginia constitution which has been the organic act of that state for a number of years, out here to defeat statehood for New Mexico. We are in no wise interested in the Virginia constitution, but we are vitally interested in seeing the Flood Resolution, amending the New Mexico constitution adopted by the people.

What appears strange to us is that the republicans are tearing their hair from their scalps in an effort to keep the voters from expressing their free will and desire at the election on November 7th. If, as they claim, the amendment will be defeated by 18,000 majority, then why should they not allow the voters to express themselves accordingly? If on the other hand, the majority of the voters express themselves in favor of the so-called "Blue Ballot," why should the "heathen rage?"

This same fellow, Wilson, also fears that he might possibly have to pay his polltax sometime in the dim and distant future as a qualification to vote. Now would it not be simply awful to compel a man to pay a whole dollar into the school fund before allowing him to vote? Simply scandalous. Apparently Wilson wants to see his name in print.

Miss McCall returned yesterday from an extended visit with her parents at Cloud, Texas, and will spend some time on her homestead here.

Dr. C. V. Cheney was up from Willard yesterday.

Eugene Madole was down from the Ogier-Scott mills yesterday, where he is employed. He came down for supplies.

## White is Well Known to Natives

J. J. White, candidate for the office of county clerk has been a resident of Torrance county for several years and of Valencia county previous to coming here. He was agent for the A. T. & S. F. at Los Lunas for two years when he was transferred to Mountainair, which position he also held for two years. He resigned this position to go into the wood and post business at Mountainair. During the two years last past he has been extensively engaged in farming, controlling over a thousand acres in beans alone. Naturally during these latter years he has had extensive dealings with the native people, and has many friends among them. By employing large numbers of men, he has done much toward promoting and developing the Estancia Valley.

That he is capable of conducting the office to which he aspires in a business-like and efficient manner is conceded by all. He has a strong support from his own precinct, and also among the mountain precincts, where the people know him best, his dealings with the natives having been straightforward and honest thus forming lasting friendships.

The El Paso Herald in an interview with a crowd of Republican campaigners, passing through El Paso, remarks that George W. Armijo candidate for corporation commissioner, was one of the Rough Riders and the first man wounded at San Juan Hill. Will someone please inform us just where or on what portion of the body the wound was, and whether it was caused by the enemy's bullets or by his anxiety to crawl into that aperture in the earth, from which he was later extracted with some difficulty?

En todos los condados grandes Republicanos del estado ha habido revolucion en las filas Republicanas. Algunos de los mas puros y mejores de los Republicanos se han organizado en abierta rebeldia contra los metodos corruptos y despoticos de los caciques. Solo falta el condado de San Miguel. Pero creemos que tambien aqui la habra. Hay centenares de Republicanos que nosotros sabemos que no reconocen amos. Creemos que estos, siguiendo el ejemplo de muchos otros Republicanos de su clase en el territorio, tambien se revolucionaran contra el "pegote" podrido de este condado. La oportunidad es propicia para dar una buena leccion a los perpetuos en los empleos publicos, y seria una lastima si la desperdician. —La Voz del Pueblo.

## OF INTEREST TO HIS NEIGHBORS

Santa Fe, N. M., Oct. 21—The stories of how Hagerman has "gobbled the land in the Pecos Valley that are being printed, in the standpat Republican newspapers will be entertaining reading for the residents of Eastern New Mexico and will aid materially in making the vote of that section of the state practically solid for the Democratic ticket. The residence of eastern New Mexico are familiar with the history of the Hagermans, father and son, from the time the elder Hagerman started in to reclaim that great waste of land between the Texas line and Roswell, down to the present, and no amount of prevarication on the part of the Plunderbund press of New Mexico will alter the facts.

The only failure that we have ever heard of the Democratic candidate for governor making, is his failure to educate his sheep to vote as they do down in Valencia. Those Valencia sheep are wonders, but some of them may get caught next month.

Three out of the five ex-governors of New Mexico are actively supporting the Democratic nominees on the state ticket, Thornton, Otero and Hagerman. Of the remaining two Prince is taking no active part in the campaign and Curry is a candidate on the Republican ticket and must support it, though he has declared himself in favor of the Blue Ballot. Two of the three former governors who are supporting the Democratic ticket are Republicans, Otero and Hagerman, and they are making an active campaign over the territory. The ordinary observer does not need a weathercock to discover which way the wind is blowing. —Ex.

Several of the Republican spellbinders held a meeting at Mountainair on Wednesday night. Judging from results it must have been a "gushing" meeting. A telephone report yesterday morning was to the effect that when the party left town there was a general hilarity among the campaigners, a couple of them were unable to sit upright in the carriages, and that in a prohibition town! What will it be when they strike a cantina or two?

Word has just been received here of the death in Illinois of Ward N. Bridgford, who was a resident of the valley for several years, having filed on a homestead southwest of town. The wife and daughter are left to mourn the loss of husband and father.

## Prizes with Cash Purchases

The Howell Mercantile Company has put on an advertising scheme, by means of which they are presenting to their cash customers a beautiful present each week. Among the gifts are eighteen dinner sets consisting of 42 pieces each, An 8-day mantel clock, Chest of Silverware, Mission Furniture Set, Vacuum Cleaner, Sewing Machine and a piano.

Cards are given each cash purchaser and the amounts purchased are punched from the cards. On Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, the purchaser holding the card with the largest amount punched therefrom receives the premium. Only the winning cards are taken up, the rest of the cards being good at any and every future distribution. If the purchases are large for any one week, but not large enough to win that particular prize, the possibility is good of securing a prize the next week or one thereafter.

The piano is given as a grand prize at the end of the twenty-fourth week. In addition to the punch card, each dollar purchase entitles the purchaser to a vote in the piano contest. This vote may be cast for the individual purchaser or any society, school or church, and is in addition to the free premiums given away each week. The prices on goods will remain the same as if the free premiums were not given away.

El candidato Republicano para gobernador no anda hablando en favor de la causa Republicana: lo que anda haciendo el infeliz es defenderse de los ataques que la prensa independiente dirige a lo mas vulnerable de su registro. Pero el fuego es graneado y efectivo y el pobre registro está que parece una criba. —La Voz del Pueblo.

La prensa de la gavilla continua apesadumbrada á causa de los prospectos de ruina a la industria ovejera en Nuevo Mexico por los Demócratas. No hemos oido explicacion por que el número de creadores de ovejas en Nuevo México ha bajado de 2,504 en 1900 á 1,848 en 1910, ó por que el número de ovejas en Nuevo México bajó de 2,850,876 en 1900 á 1,874,908 en 1910, y todo esto bajo la benéfica influencia de una tarifa protectora y durante un tiempo cuando los Republicanos estaban en poder en todos ramos del gobierno. A este paso de rebaja, mas que 100,000 al año, seria como 18 años, "bajo la benéfica influencia de una tarifa protectora" para acabar completamente con la industria ovejera en Nuevo México.

Vote for the Blue Ballot!